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D. J. McDonald

vs.

W. S. Burleson.

State of Tennessee,  
Washington County.)

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Justice of the Peace.  
Vines & Price, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at office of treasurer, Mountain Branch, N. H. D. V. S., National Soldiers' Home, Tenn., until 12 o'clock on August 18, 1908, and then opened, for furnishing and delivery of Subsistence Supplies; until 12 o'clock on August 22, 1908, and then opened, for furnishing and delivery of Household Supplies; until 12 o'clock on August 25, 1908, and then opened, for furnishing and delivery of Farm and Repair Supplies, in accordance with instructions and specifications, copies of which, with blank proposals and other information, may be had upon application to Paul E. Divine, Treasurer. (1254)

The best steel range sold in the town for the money is the "Uneda" sold by S. B. White.

## Local and Personal

Miss Gordon Henderson is at Unaka.

Prompt delivery at Jackson Grocery Co's.

Mrs. H. L. Bassett is visiting Mrs. N. L. Sabin.

Everything in season at Jackson Grocery Co's.

Try a slice of country ham at Jackson Grocery Co's.

Buy groceries at less price at Jackson Grocery Company's.

If you want any concrete work done call on Geo. R. Brown.

J. C. Campbell has returned from a short visit to Sneedville.

Misses Eva and Pearl Lyle are visiting in Montezuma, N. C.

L. D. Gump and family and Miss Regina Eisman are at Linville.

Mrs. Sam Leach and son, of Jacksonville, Fla., are visiting Mrs. S. M. Murray.

Miss Faw Wagner, of Mountain City, is the charming guest of Miss Sarah Broyles.

Walter H. Henderson has returned from a week's vacation spent at Tate's Springs.

The young society folks had a delightful dance at Austin Springs last Friday night.

John L. Davis, of Knoxville, is in the city looking after his extensive real estate interest.

W. E. Latture will be the republican candidate for the state senate from the Second district.

Mrs. W. F. Mitchell and daughter, Lucile, are in Richmond, Va., visiting Mrs. M. G. Ogden.

S. R. White has a good stock of blue flame oil and gasoline stoves in stock at lowest prices.

Hon. P. H. Gardner, of Tampa, Fla., is in the city the guest of J. K. Gardner and S. E. N. Moore.

Dr. John P. Lamb and wife are visiting the doctor's old home in North Carolina for several days.

J. R. Whisman and Mrs. Whisman have returned to the city after spending their honeymoon in Virginia.

Have your repairing done, or shoes made by W. C. Pierce, 3 doors from railroad on West Market street.

Will H. Morrow, wife and daughter and Miss Ruth Kite, of Bristol, are visiting D. K. Trainum and wife.

Mrs. John P. Rogan and little daughter, of Cartersville, Ga., are the guests of Mrs. B. A. Wood on Pine street.

S. H. Ponder & Son have sublet the contract on the Panama canal through the Public Square to a Knoxville firm.

Miss Julia Rhodes and Mrs. J. C. Bittle and children, of Knoxville, are visiting Mrs. I. A. Bittle on Buffalo street.

Hot weather. Little clothing. Plenty of water inside and out. Dr. Fahrbey's Teething Syrup. Babies don't get sick.

Shoemaking and repairing neatly and promptly done by W. C. Pierce, on West Market street, 3 doors from railroad.

Look out for hot days—cholera infantum. Don't worry—use Dr. Fahrbey's Teething Syrup. 25 cents. Sample free.

Hon. DeLong Rice, of Nashville, is spending a few days in the city with his wife and children, who are with homefolks.

There's nothing so good for a sore throat as Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Cures it in a few hours. Relieves any pain in any part.

Woman loves a clear, rosy complexion. Burdock Blood Bitters purifies the blood, clears the skin, restores ruddy, sound health.

Roby Lewis got off a train in such a hurry in Jonesboro Thursday that he is now nursing a broken finger and a badly bruised hand.

James Gilmer, little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Gilmer, was thrown by a burro Tuesday and had his forearm broken in two places.

Torturing eczema spreads its burning area every day. Doan's Ointment quickly stops its spreading, instantly relieves the itching, cures it permanently. At any drug store.

Doan's Regulents cure constipation, tone the stomach, stimulate the liver, promote digestion and appetite and easy passages of the bowels. Ask your druggist for them. 25 cents a box.

A valuable horse belonging to the Stable Grocery Co. killed itself Friday noon by running against a telephone pole on Spring street and breaking his neck. The animal was worth \$200.

Dr. E. T. West arrived in the city last Thursday and is visiting Rev. J. Edmunds Brown's family. Mrs. West has been here for several weeks. Dr. West is now governor of the Soldiers' Home in South Dakota.

Rev. John T. Wilde, of New York, who is spending his annual vacation in this section, preached last Sunday at the Presbyterian church for Rev. J. Edmunds Brown, who filled the pulpit at the Methodist church in the absence of Rev. S. B. Vaught. Dr. Wilde is at the home of his sister, Mrs. S. W. Wilson.

Tommy Collette, the hustling agent of the Saturday Evening Post in this city, was notified Monday by wire that he was a successful contestant for the trip offered to Wild Mera, Me., for himself, two sub-agents and an escort, or he could have a check for \$300. Tommy took the cash and will take an outing nearer home. He is the son of J. D. Collette.

## FALL CARNIVAL.

Johnson City Will Have Industrial and Agricultural Display.

On October 6, 7, 8, 9 Johnson City will have an industrial and agricultural exhibit and poultry show with a trades display as the leading feature. This was decided upon at the meeting of the Commercial Club Monday night, and the industrial and advertising committee of the club will have the matter in charge. The exhibits will be held in the Hippodrome skating rink. The poultry show will attract a great deal of attention and will bring birds here from all parts of the country. The details have not been worked out and the premium list not made out, but The Comet will give this information as fast as it can be obtained.

### City Council Meets.

At a meeting of the city council last Thursday night T. A. Young was elected to fill out the unexpired term of I. N. Boring who moved out of the ward. John Swadley was elected policeman to fill the vacancy caused by Dale Hawk's flight.

The butchers' fly ordinance was passed on third reading and now all butchers are required to keep flies off the fresh meat.

The Bristol telephone franchise was referred to a special committee composed of the Mayor, Recorder, City Attorney and Aldermen Baldwin and Cass.

The board practically agreed upon a five year contract for street lights with the Watana Electric Co. at \$72 per light and a minimum charge of 50 cents a month for commercial lights on a flat rate. The city reserved the right to discount bills when lights fail to burn at any point. Some of the aldermen were in doubt whether they could make a contract with the company beyond the expiration of its franchise. The contract is for five years and the present franchise expires in two years.

### John T. Thomas Returns.

John T. Thomas arrived from New York Monday, accompanied by his brothers, Will and Joe. Mr. Thomas was overcome with heat in New York on the 13th and fell down a stairway in Hotel York leading to the barber shop. He received such injuries that for a time his life was despaired of. He was taken immediately to the Roosevelt hospital and remained unconscious for over fifty hours, but his wounds were dressed, his skull restored where it had been depressed and every possible thing done to save him, with such success that he is now at home and his many friends here are rejoiced to know that there is every reason to believe he will soon be restored to his former good health.

### Hippodrome Theatre.

The Hippodrome Rink will be reopened next Friday night for skating. The rink has been painted and thoroughly overhauled. It has been lavishly decorated with the colors of the Elks and Owls and presents a holiday aspect. Beginning next week Mr. Reynolds will begin work upon a large stage and scenery and by early fall the rink will be converted into a theatre. Mr. Geo. Fox will have charge of it and is now booking attractions. He is a professional actor and will make a capable manager and Johnson City will now get some good shows.

### Sewer Work Stopped.

S. H. Ponder & Son have temporarily stopped work on the sewer contract recently entered into with the city and may not resume. Mr. S. H. Ponder has gone to Knoxville to see if he can get another contractor who bid upon the work to take it off his hands, his company to pay the difference in price. Because of the rock and water encountered through the Public Square for the main trunk sewer they found it impossible to do the work at the contract price.

### Selling Pianos Cheap.

Sterchi's Furniture Store (the Tennessee Furniture Store) have sold three pianos this week, and have orders for two more to be delivered on receipt from the factory. This is perhaps the largest number of pianos ever sold in this section in one week. They are making a run on fine pianos at popular prices for a short while. They are selling sewing machines on installment, one dollar per week.

### Board of Managers Here.

The board of managers of the Soldiers' Home arrived in the city Tuesday to make the annual inspection of the home. Maj. J. W. Wadsworth is president of the board and Col. W. P. Brownlow is secretary.

### New Buildings.

Mrs. Slaughter is erecting a modern cottage on the corner of Baxter street and Fairview avenue.

Mark Hannah's new residence on Stuart street and Unaka avenue is receiving the finishing touches.

Mr. Dickey has let the contract to J. D. Weaver & Sons for a modern dwelling on Watana avenue and Baxter street and the work is underway.

Joe P. Lyle is building a new home on his farm opposite the Soldiers Home, preparing to vacate the dwelling recently sold to the C. C. & O. railroad.

Work has begun on the new store house on Main street of J. A. Martin and S. C. Williams, and it will now be hurried forward, the weather permitting.

## THREE SHOTS FIRED.

Tom Crow Shoots at Barney Christie as He Flees but His Aim was Bad

Tuesday afternoon about five o'clock pedestrians near the Southern Express office were startled by three shots in rapid succession and every fellow ran to cover. Tom Crow, proprietor of the Star Bottling Works, was shooting at the fleeing form of Barney Christie, but neither shot took effect. Every time that 44 barked Christie quickened his pace. The trouble arose over a settlement and several rocks and other missiles were thrown by Christie before Crow decided to use his gun. Crow was arrested by Officers Wilson and Swadley and while being taken to the recorder's office to give bond he was met by Christie, who struck him a terrific blow over the eye before the officers could prevent it, but Wilson proceeded to test a pair of knucks on Christie's head in the latest approved manner. Both men were considerably bruised. Crow gave bond and Christie was locked up but gave bond Wednesday.

## MAKE ICE CREAM FROM WATER

and a small quantity of condensed milk, if fresh milk could be had.

**RECIPE.**  
1/2 pint condensed milk costs . . . . .006.  
Add enough cold water to make one quart . . . . .00  
One 13c. package JELLO-ICE CREAM Powder . . . . .13c.  
Total . . . . .136.

Mix all together thoroughly and freeze. Don't heat or cook it; don't add anything else. This makes two quarts of delicious ice cream in 10 minutes at very small cost.

**AND YOU KNOW IT'S PURE.**  
Five kinds: Chocolate, Vanilla, Strawberry, Lemon and Unflavored.  
2 packages 25c. at all grocers.  
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## Report of the Condition

OF THE

## Unaka National Bank

No. 5888

Johnson City, Tennessee

At the close of business, July 15th, 1908.

### RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$46,282.05
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	5,842.35
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	100,000.00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	50,000.00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	10,913.22
Selling house, furniture and fixtures	10,000.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	32,343.31
Due from State Banks and Bankers	1,982.73
Due from approved reserve agents	22,759.88
Checks and other cash items	5,311.44
Exchange for clearing houses	624.15
Notes of other National Banks	3,830.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	303.84
Specie	\$24,777.55
Legal-tender notes	6,650.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasury (5 per cent circulation)	5,000.00
Total	\$800,550.47

### LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	55,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	12,980.93
National bank notes outstanding	100,000.00
Due to other National Banks	125.36
Due to State Banks and Bankers	3,319.20
Dividends unpaid	5,008.07
Individual deposits subject to check	307,543.80
Demand certificates of deposit	147,108.78
Certified checks	167.50
Banker's checks outstanding	1,817.84
Deposits of U. S. disbursing officers	23,251.97
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for borrowed money	35,000.00
Total	\$800,550.47

### STATE OF TENNESSEE, 1908.

I, S. C. WILLIAMS, President of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of July, 1908.

Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

ADAM B. CROUCH, Directors.

Geo. T. WOODRUM, J. B. FRANKLIN.

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Admission 10 Cents

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